

Rhode Island Career Technical Education Recognized Credential List

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|---|--|---|---|
| Arts (Includes Visual & Music/Theatre & Performing Arts/Drama) | NOCTI Performing Arts Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Arts,%20A/V%20Technology%20%26%20Communications |
| | NOCTI Visual Arts Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Arts,%20A/V%20Technology%20%26%20Communications |
| Automotive* (Includes Diesel Tech, Collision Repair, Transportation & Aviation) | ASE Student Certification | National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence | Student must pass any one ASE examination http://www.asestudentcertification.com |
| | Certified Alldata Information Specialist (CAIS) | Alldata | http://support.alldata.com/article/cais-certification-program |
| | I-CAR | Inter-Industry Conference on Auto Collision Repair | Any level http://www.i-car.com/index.shtml |
| | FAA Written Pilot's Exam | FAA | http://www.faa.gov/pilots/testing |
| Biotechnology | NOCTI Agricultural Biotechnology Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Agriculture,%20Food%20%26%20Natural%20Resources |
| Business Education (Includes Entrepreneurship, Finance Academy, Marketing) | ASK Concepts of Entrepreneurship and Management | Institute for the Assessment of Skills and Knowledge of Business (A*S*K Business Institute) | http://www.askinstitute.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=36&Itemid=56 |
| | ASK Concepts of Finance | Institute for the Assessment of Skills and Knowledge of Business (A*S*K Business Institute) | http://www.askinstitute.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=36&Itemid=56 |
| | ASK Fundamental Business Concepts | Institute for the Assessment of Skills and Knowledge of Business (A*S*K Business Institute) | http://www.askinstitute.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=36&Itemid=56 |
| | ASK Fundamental Marketing Concepts | Institute for the Assessment of Skills and Knowledge of Business (A*S*K Business Institute) | http://www.askinstitute.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=36&Itemid=56 |
| | NAFTrack | National Academy of Finance | http://naf.org/our-approach/naftack-certification |
| | NOCTI Accounting Advanced & Basic Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Business,%20Management%20%26%20Administration |
| | NOCTI Accounting-Basic Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Business,%20Management%20%26%20Administration |
| | NOCTI Business Financial Management Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Finance |
| | NOCTI Business Financial Management Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Finance |
| | NOCTI Financial and Investment Planning Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Finance |
| | NOCTI General Management Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Business,%20Management%20%26%20Administration |

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| Child Development & Education (Includes Child Studies, Development, Early Childhood Learning) | Child Development Associate Certification (CDA) | Council for Professional Recognition | http://www.cdacouncil.org/the-cda-credential/how-to-earn-a-cda |
| | NOCTI Early Childhood Education and Care-Advanced Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Education%20%26%20Training |
| | NOCTI Early Childhood Education and Care-Basic Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Education%20%26%20Training |
| | NOCTI Education and Training Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Education%20%26%20Training |
| | Paraprofessional Assessment | Educational Testing Service | https://www.ets.org/parapro |
| | Rhode Island Early Learning and Development (RIELDS) Foundations Certificate | Rhode Island Department of Education | Instructor must have proper training and certification with RIDE. http://www.ride.ri.gov/InstructionAssessment/EarlyChildhoodEducation/EarlyLearningandDevelopmentStandards.aspx |
| Computer Technology & Systems* (Includes Cisco Academy, Computer & Game Design Tech, Interactive Digital Media, Info Tech, Business Technology) | CompTIA | CompTIA | Students may earn any of the credentials offered http://certification.comptia.org/getCertified/certifications/a.aspx |
| | Cisco Certified Entry Networking Technician (CCENT) | Cisco | http://www.cisco.com/web/learning/certifications/entry/ccent/index.html |
| | Cisco Certified Technician (CCT) | Cisco | http://www.cisco.com/web/learning/certifications/entry/cct/index.html |
| | Internet and Computing Core Certification (IC ³) | Certiport | http://www.certiport.com/PORTAL/desktopdefault.aspx?tabid=669&roleid=101 |
| | NOCTI Business Information Processing Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Business,%20Management%20%26%20Administration |
| P-TECH/CCRI | RI Commerce Corporation | http://www.ptech.org | |
| Construction* (Includes Carpentry, Solar Heating, Facilities Mgt) | NCCER Level 1 & Level 2 | National Center for Construction Education and Research | http://www.nccer.org/ |
| | NCCER Level 3 | National Center for Construction Education and Research | Must pass Level 1 & Level 2 http://www.nccer.org/ |
| | Code Council Certification | International Code Council | http://www.iccsafe.org/certification/Pages/default.aspx |
| Cosmetology | RI Cosmetology Licenses | Rhode Island Department of Health | Any of the state licenses available for students http://www.health.ri.gov/licenses/cosmetology/ |

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| Culinary Arts & Hospitality* (Includes Travel & Tourism, Bakery, Food Services, Hospitality, Pastry Arts) | ACF Certification | American Culinary Federation | https://www.acfchefs.org/ACF/Certify/AboutCertification/ACF/Certify/About/ |
| | NOCTI Hospitality Management-Food and Beverage Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Hospitality%20%26%20Tourism |
| | NOCTI Hospitality Management-Lodging Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Hospitality%20%26%20Tourism |
| | ProStart National Certificate of Achievement | National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation. | https://www.nraef.org/Students/ProStart |
| | ServSafe Alcohol Certificate | National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation. | http://www.servsafe.com/home |
| | ServSafe Food Handler Certificate | National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation. | http://www.servsafe.com/home |
| | ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification | National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation. | http://www.servsafe.com/home |
| Drafting (Includes Architectural Design Technology, CAD) | ADDA Certified Drafter | American Design Drafting Association | http://www.adda.org/index.php/professional/professional-certification |
| | Autodesk Certified User | Autodesk | http://usa.autodesk.com/adsk/servlet/index?id=14238652&siteID=123112 |
| | NOCTI CAD Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Architecture%20%26%20Construction |
| | NOCTI CAD-CAM Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Architecture%20%26%20Construction |
| Electricity* | NCCER Level 1 & Level 2 | National Center for Construction Education and Research | http://www.nccer.org/ |
| | NCCER Level 3 | National Center for Construction Education and Research | Must pass Level 1 & Level 2 http://www.nccer.org/ |
| Engineering (Includes Pre-Engineering, Electronics, & Robotics) | Autodesk Certified User | Autodesk | http://usa.autodesk.com/adsk/servlet/index?id=14238652&siteID=123112 |
| | CompTIA | CompTIA | Students may earn any of the credentials offered http://certification.comptia.org/getCertified/certifications/a.aspx |
| | ETA Certificates | Electronics Technicians Association, International (ETA) | Students may earn any of the credentials offered http://eta-i.org/certifications.html |
| | ISCET Electronics Systems Associate (ESA) Levels 1-4 | International Society of Certified Electronics Technicians | Must pass all four levels http://www.iscet.org/certification/exams.html |
| | NOCTI Pre-Engineering/Engineering Technology Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/PDFs/JobReady/2475_Pre-Engineering.pdf |
| | P-TECH/CCRI | RI Commerce Corporation | http://www.ptech.org |
| Environmental & Life Sciences (Includes Agriculture & Aquaculture) | NOCTI Natural Resources Systems Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Agriculture,%20Food%20%26%20Natural%20Resources |
| | NOCTI Agricultural Biotechnology Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Agriculture,%20Food%20%26%20Natural%20Resources |

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| Fashion Merchandising | NOCTI Retail Merchandising Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Marketing,%20Sales%20%26%20Service |
| | NRFF National Professional Certification in Sales | National Retail Federation Foundation | http://nrffoundation.com/content/certification-customer-service |
| | NRFF National Professional Certification in Retail Management | National Retail Federation Foundation | http://nrffoundation.com/content/certification-customer-service |
| | NRFF Professional Retail Business Credential | National Retail Federation Foundation | http://nrffoundation.com/content/certification-customer-service |
| Graphic Design* (Includes Digital Printing, Advertising Design & Digital Tech, Digital Media Production) | Adobe Certified Associate | Adobe | http://www.adobe.com/education/resources/certificate-programs.edu.html? |
| | Autodesk Certified User | Autodesk | http://usa.autodesk.com/adsk/servlet/index?id=14238652&siteID=123112 |
| | NOCTI Audio-Visual Communications Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/PDFs/JobReady/3005_Audio_Visual_Communications_Technology.pdf |
| | PrintEd | Graphic Arts Education and Research Foundation (GAERF*) | Students must pass Printed/SkillsUSA Skills Connect Assessments http://www.gaerf.org/PrintED.aspx |
| Health Careers* | Rhode Island Healthcare Licenses | Rhode Island Department of Health | Any of the state licenses available for students http://www.health.ri.gov/licenses/healthcare/index.php |
| HVAC & Plumbing* | EPA Section 608 Technician Certification | ESCO Institute | http://www.escoinst.com |
| | HVAC Excellence Certification | HVAC Excellence | Students may earn any of the credentials offered http://www.hvacexcellence.org/Certifications.aspx |
| | NCCER Level 1 & Level 2 | National Center for Construction Education and Research | http://www.nccer.org/ |
| | NCCER Level 3 | National Center for Construction Education and Research | Must pass Level 1 & Level 2 http://www.nccer.org/ |
| IVS/LTI | Students may earn any of the recognized credentials pertaining to their area of study | | |
| Law, Public Safety, Security (Includes Criminal Justice, Forensics) | NOCTI Criminal Justice Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Law,%20Public%20Safety%20%26%20Security |
| | NOCTI Protective Services Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Law,%20Public%20Safety%20%26%20Security |
| | NOCTI Security and Protective Services Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Law,%20Public%20Safety%20%26%20Security |
| Manufacturing* (Includes Machine Technology) | NIMS Credential | National Institute for Metalworking Skills Credential (NIMS) | https://www.nims-skills.org/web/nims/6 |
| Marine Technology | NCCER Level 3 | National Center for Construction Education and Research | http://www.nccer.org/ |
| | ASE Student Certification | National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence | Pass any one ASE examination http://www.asestudentcertification.com/ |
| | NCCER Level 1 & Level 2 | National Center for Construction Education and Research | Must pass Level 1 & Level 2 to have value http://www.nccer.org/ |
| TV Production/Journalism | NOCTI Broadcasting and Journalism Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Arts,%20A/V%20Technology%20%26%20Communications |
| | NOCTI Television Production Assessment | National Occupational Competency Testing Institute | http://www.nocti.org/BlueprintCategoryLinks.cfm?category=Arts,%20A/V%20Technology%20%26%20Communications |

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